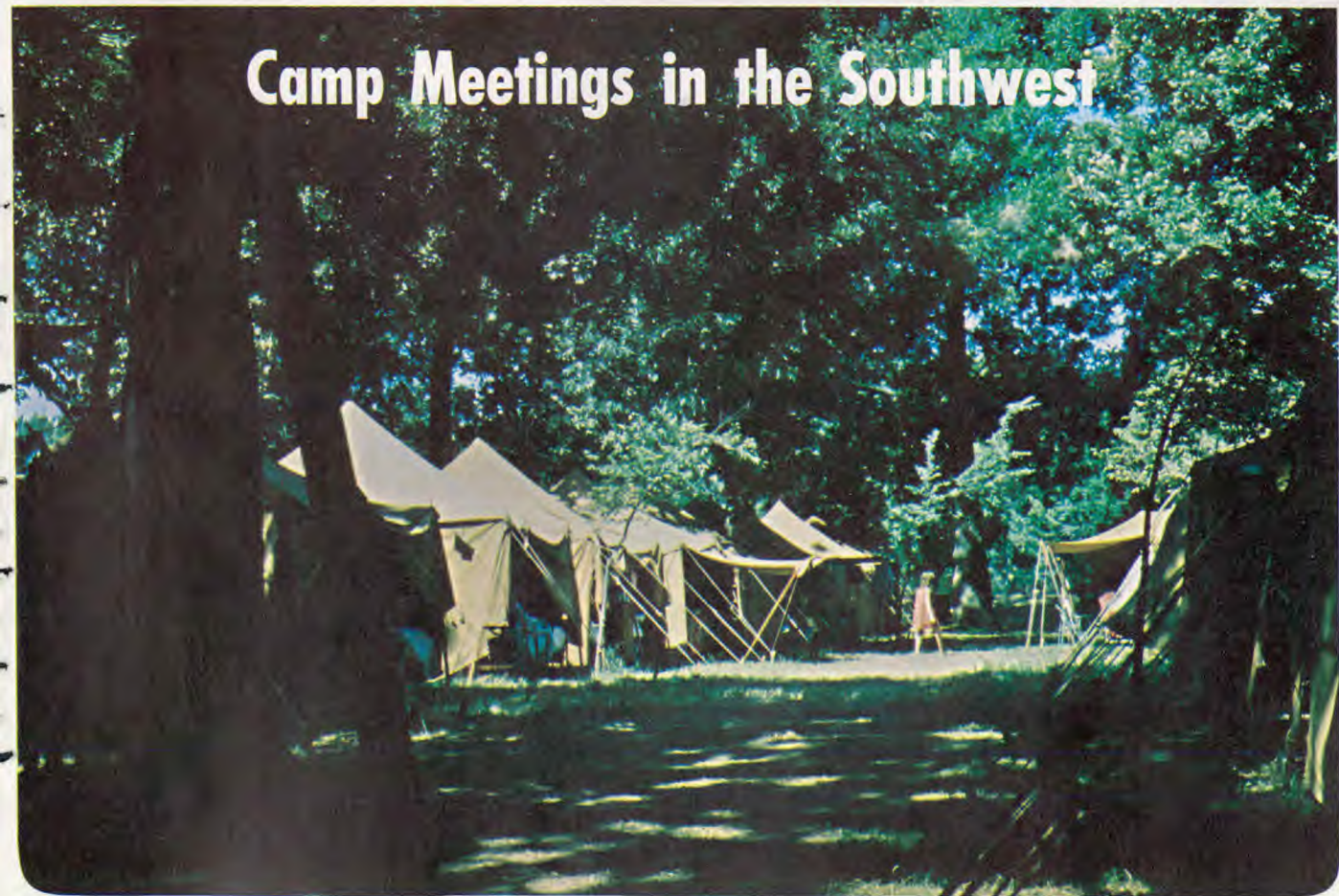




## Camp Meetings in the Southwest



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... yearly gatherings where one can always expect the outpouring of the Holy Spirit

Would you spend your money for that which is not bread? Would you labor for that which does not satisfy you? Would you be content with treasures you have gathered on earth, which must pass away? Would you neglect the preparation for eternity which should be the first and only real work of your life?

Many will. But does it have to be you?

Even though we live in a modern age we can still gain direction from our forefathers of yesteryear and from the counsel of the Lord. This direction and counsel will help to prepare us for eternal life and the blessing the Lord now has for us.

One of the chief agencies the Lord will use for imparting this direction and counsel is the yearly convocations known as the camp meetings.

Through His servant He has given these words, "God gave direction to the Israelites to assemble before Him at set periods . . . and observe special days . . . The time was to be devoted to a consideration of the blessings which He had bestowed upon them. . . . They were to bring tokens of their gratitude to God for His continual blessings." *Testimonies*, vol. 2, p. 573.

The Lord also instructed, "God requires no less of His people in these last days." *Ibid.*, p. 574.

In speaking of camp meeting attendance and other convocations, Mrs. White states, "Let all who possibly can, attend these yearly gatherings. All should feel that God requires this of them." *Ibid.*, p. 575.


Consider the fearful result of failure to comply and receive the blessings available at these meetings, "If they do not avail themselves of the privileges which He has provided that they may become strong in Him and in the power of His grace, they will grow weaker and weaker, and have less and less desire to consecrate all to God." *Ibid.*, p. 575.

We invite every member in the Southwestern Union to come to the "feast" this year. Come to these sacred convocations where you will be close to Jesus and where He will be close to you.

This year camp meetings will be held in six areas of our union territory as follows:

ARKANSAS-LOUISIANA (Southern)	— June 10 - 12	— Baton Rouge, Louisiana
ARKANSAS-LOUISIANA (Northern)	— June 16 - 19	— Gentry, Arkansas
TEXAS	— June 11 - 19	— Keene, Texas
SOUTHWEST REGION	— June 4 - 12	— Hawkins, Texas
TEXICO	— June 18 - 26	— Albuquerque, New Mexico
OKLAHOMA	— July 16 - 24	— Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Ministers of God serving in responsible positions from the General, union, and local conferences will be present to break the Bread of Life with you. Fellowship with believers of the same faith will bring you a rich reward. Opportunities for Christian witness and religious instruction will add much to your developing character. More detailed information will appear in the various conference sections in the next few issues of the RECORD. You are urged to make your plans to attend one of these meetings this year and draw closer to God, His church, and His people.



The beautiful Oklahoma Conference campgrounds and pavilion are featured on this week's cover. Picture above: The large Pultar Pavilion on the campus of Southwestern Union College will soon be a "beehive" of activity as thousands come again to the Texas Camp Meeting.

**Tragedy Strikes Portales, New Mexico; Four Boys Die in Camper Trailer**

A weekend campout for seven students of the Portales church school ended in tragedy as four boys sleeping in a camper trailer on Saturday night, May 1, were asphyxiated during their sleep. The group was accompanied by their teacher and his wife.

Names of the boys are: Glen Burton, son of Pastor G. L. Burton; Steve and Wayne Owens, and David Lockhart. Ages ranged from nine to 11.

Plans are underway for the establishment of a memorial fund to be used in the erection of a new school building in their honor. Contributions may be sent to:

Portales Church School Fund  
P.O. Box 400  
Richardson, Texas 75080

**North American Missions Appeals to Southwestern Union Members**

by CARIS H. LAUDA, Secretary, North American Missions Committee, General Conference.

On Sabbath, May 15, we are to have the privilege of giving an offering for the benefit of mission work here in North America. In this work are included the 30 million foreign-speaking peoples, all the five and a half million Jews, all the 600,000 deaf people, all the 50,000 Eskimos, and all the 860,000 Indians in North America. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to give the gospel right at our own doors.

Those in the Southwestern Union know that there are thousands of Spanish-speaking persons living in your big cities and in the garden spots of the country. They are ready to receive the message, and we have a duty to give it to them. We don't have to go to Africa or India or South America to find those who speak other languages, who need to learn of Jesus and a better way of life.

We are thankful for the 11 Spanish churches in the Texas Conference and the nine churches in the Texico Conference. We are thrilled to learn of the new Spanish church just organized in New Orleans, Louisiana. This is wonderful. But there are thousands more who need to learn of the third angel's message. In fact, there are 80,000 Spanish-speaking people in and around New Orleans alone.

When they join the church, these Spanish-speaking members (most of whom come from Mexico and Cuba) are just as loyal church members as you can find anywhere.

Of course, the offering taken on May 15 will also benefit the French, the Hungarians, the Japanese, the Italians, the Russians, the Yugoslavians, the Germans, and people of many other nationalities. We mention the Spanish-speaking especially because they are more plentiful in the Southwestern Union. They are your neighbors, and you see them in the schools, in the markets, and on the streets. These then can be your own special "mission field."

Sister White says, "Not all the means that can be gathered up is to be sent from America to distant lands, while in the home field there exist such providential opportunities to present the truth to millions who have never heard it. Among these millions are the representatives of many nations, many of whom are prepared to receive the message." *Testimonies*, vol. 8, pp. 34, 35.

We appeal to you faithful church members in the Southwest: won't you give liberally on May 15 in the missionary service to help benefit your foreign-speaking neighbors among you? These are your responsibility. Only a few young people can go as foreign missionaries across the seas, but we all can give money to help spread the gospel in our own land, where so many come to find liberty to work as they please. Let us also give them the best thing we can offer them—the gospel of Jesus Christ. Thank you for your liberality.

**STOP! LOOK! READ!**

1. Every church or Sabbath school that is planning to have a vacation Bible school this summer should send their VBS leader and others if possible, to this training institute at **Keene, Texas, May 21 - 23**.
2. All VBS personnel would profit from this special institute beamed at making your VBS a soul-winning experience.
3. Fill out the registration blank below and mail it right away!

**Union-Wide VBS Training Workshop**

- First meeting — Friday night, May 21, 7:30 p.m.
- There is a registration fee of only \$2.00. Registration time 7:00 p.m.
- Each one who comes will make his own arrangements for lodging, meals, and transportation as allowed by his sponsoring church or Sabbath school. There are motels not far away; there may be community homes and rooms available. Meals can be taken in the College Cafeteria at a very reasonable rate.

**Special Speakers — Special Guests — Crafts — VBS Youth Teams — Conference Sabbath School Department Leaders**

**May 21 - 23**

**KEENE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARY, KEENE, TEXAS**

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**Southwestern Union Vacation Bible School Institute**

**May 21, 22, 23, 1971 — Keene, Texas**

Dear Elder Schram:

Please count me in on your exciting and important workshop for vacation Bible school leaders.

- Check  I have enclosed my \$2.00 registration fee.  
 I will bring my registration fee with me. See you there.

Name .....

Address .....

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MAIL TO: **Sabbath School Department, Southwestern Union Conference**  
**P.O. Box 400, Richardson, Texas 75080**

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## Old Greeting Cards Can Be Used in Indonesia

The Southwestern Union Conference has been asked to request its constituents to send their old Christmas cards and occasional cards to the mission field of the East Indonesia Union Mission. The other unions of North America will likewise be sending cards to various mission fields throughout the world. These cards are used for the vacation Bible school program in these territories and they should be sent to the following address:

Sabbath School Department  
East Indonesia Union Mission  
Djalang, DR. Sutomo 191  
Menado, Sulawesi Utara  
Indonesia

The packages of cards should be marked, "Not For Resale, No Commercial Value." The inside message of the cards can be cut off and any excess paper. The mission is interested only in the pictures found on the cards.

## VOICE OF PROPHECY

### Youth, the Word Is "Go" on Wayout Enrollments

As 1971 began, The Voice of Prophecy took a close, hard look at its new outreach to young people, "The Way Out." The picture was both bright and dark: God had blessed with an avalanche of some 170,000 requests for the Wayout. Anticipated funds with which to sustain the outreach, however, had not materialized.

Faced with these tortuous facts — massive enrollments, but little funding to sustain the youthful enrollees through the entire Wayout series—a decision was made to curtail future Wayout enrollees, a "first" in North American Adventist Bible course enrollment history.

But the dark days of January and February, 1971, have now passed, and with their passing has come the response of God's people to these facts. The great power of heaven, who "holds the whole world in His hands," has impressed His people to turn possible defeat into victory!

Through unprecedented giving in March, your Voice of Prophecy is now able to encourage every Seventh-day

Adventist young person, church, and conference to actively enroll their non-Adventist young friends in the Wayout!

In a series of miraculous events, many thousands of the Wayout materials have been printed and are now ready for distribution to those requesting them. In addition, some 200,000 Wayout green "handout" cards—available for \$8.00 per thousand plus postage from Wayout, Box 2829, Hollywood, California, 90028—are ready for use.

Your Voice of Prophecy staff is humbled by the response of those who have said, with their sacrificial gifts and letters, that "The Way Out" must not stop, that it must grow for the glory of God and for the saving of many young lives. Of course, even this unusual giving will not sustain the Wayout many months in the future. Additional funds are needed now, and will be needed to back up the flood of response that is sure to come as the outreach again makes its wide appeal.

To all Seventh-day Adventist young people the word is now "Go" in using the new Wayout outreach for teens not of the Adventist faith!

## "Outdoor World" Magazine Acquired by Wisconsin Publisher

*Outdoor World* magazine, previously published by Seventh-day Adventist laymen, has been acquired by Country Beautiful Corporation of Waukesha, Wisconsin. The announcement was made by Winton R. Preston, president of Preston Publications, Inc.

Country Beautiful has a history of high quality publications. Along with their quarterly editions of *Country Beautiful*, they have produced such outstanding books as *The National Parks of America*, *The National Forests of America*, *Great Gardens of America*, and *The Heritage of Early American Houses*.

The editorial offices of *Outdoor World* which were maintained at 1645 Tullie Circle NE. in Atlanta, Georgia, will be moved to 24198 West Blue-mound Road, Waukesha, Wisconsin 53186. Dorothy Deer, former associate editor, will move with the magazine and continue to hold a position on the editorial staff.

Since May of 1968 *Outdoor World* reached a national circulation of more than 50,000 subscribers. The former publisher, Winton R. Preston, and the new publisher, Michael P. Dineen, are committed to working together to preserve and indeed enhance the quality of the magazine.

## General Interest...

### ★ Old Gold for New Souls

It has been most helpful to receive many splendid coin and stamp collections from our friends and listeners, as well as all kinds of jewelry including wedding bands, diamond rings, watches, sterling silverware, dishes, etc. These items are being sold at good prices for the benefit of the Voice of Prophecy ministry.

If you have these things and wish to put their value to good use, be assured we shall be happy to receive them and to send you letters of acknowledgement that would qualify these gifts for income tax deduction.

May I invite you to send your contributions to the undersigned. Thank you.

ALVIN G. MUNSON, General Manager,  
The Voice of Prophecy, Box 55, Los Angeles, California 90053.

### ★ Summer Session to Focus on Medical Evangelism

Teachers, ministers, missionaries, and persons in health professions will study together this summer in School of Health courses designed to increase professional understanding and competence.

The regular summer session, June 21 - August 12, includes classes in Environmental Health, Personal and Community Health, Behavior Change, School Health Programs, Public Health Nutrition, Natural Sciences for Public Health, Principles of Administration, and General Statistics.

Special courses include the Institute for Foreign Missions, June 7 - 24; Alcohol and Narcotics Education, June 28 - July 2; Health and Physical Fitness, July 6 - 9; and a Field School of Evangelism in Central California, June 12 - August 8.

Admission information is available from the Director of Summer School Session, Loma Linda University of Health, Loma Linda, California 92354.



## arkansas-louisiana

## 145 Decisions for Christ in New Orleans Voice of Prophecy Crusade

A most successful evangelistic crusade was conducted in the city of New Orleans February 27 to March 27. We praise the Lord for the success of this evangelistic crusade. Elder Fordyce Detamore, crusade speaker, did a tremendous job in presenting the messages of truth each evening. A total of 145 individuals made decisions for baptism. To date exactly 100 souls have been baptized in the churches of New Orleans.

We were privileged to have four capable musicians with us for the meetings—Elder Gordon L. Henderson, director of the Voice of Prophecy evangelism, directed the music with Mrs. Phyllis Henderson at the piano and Brother Norman Nelson at the organ; Miss Del Delker was the featured soloist for the meetings. Brother John VanDaam was also a member of the team and gave able assistance throughout the crusade.

Even though Sister Detamore has been seriously ill we were very happy she could accompany the evangelistic team to New Orleans and could attend several of the meetings.

We are greatly indebted to Elder and Mrs. Carl Christensen of Gentry, Arkansas, who served as a translator and did a tremendous job in translating the messages each evening into Spanish for

our Spanish believers and the other Spanish-speaking people who attended the meetings.

The pastors and their wives all did yeoman service and we rejoice with them over the precious souls they have been able to baptize as a result of the crusade. They are to be commended on a task well done. The pastors are still studying with many of those that took their stand during the meetings. We pray that many of these will be baptized in the near future.

Elder S. G. Sharpe is the pastor of the St. Charles Avenue church, Elder E. H. Klein is the pastor of the Franklin Avenue church, and Pastor Sergio Ortiz is the pastor of the New Orleans Spanish church.

Several other ministers in the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference were privileged to be associated in this crusade for souls in New Orleans. They are as



Back row, left to right: Norman Nelson, John VanDaam, Del Delker, Fordyce Detamore, and Phyllis and Gordon Henderson.

Middle row, left to right: S. G. Sharpe, Sergio Ortiz, T. L. Hunter, Carl Christensen, J. K. Herman, J. E. Thurmon, C. H. Evins, E. H. Klein, and Tom D. Good.

Front row, left to right: Mrs. Sergio Ortiz, Mrs. T. L. Hunter, Mrs. Carl Christensen, Mrs. J. K. Herman, Mrs. J. E. Thurmon, Mrs. C. H. Evins, Mrs. E. H. Klein, and Mrs. Tom D. Good.

follows: Pastors C. H. Evins, Tom D. Good, J. H. Herman, Jr., T. L. Hunter, and J. E. Thurmon.

This series of meetings proved to be a blessing to everyone that was privileged to attend. The attendance was excellent from the beginning to end. The meetings were held in the beautiful Rivergate Auditorium located in the heart of New Orleans near the banks of the Mississippi River. Practically every seat was filled the last four nights of the crusade.

We take this opportunity to express appreciation to our dear laymen who supported these meetings so faithfully and enthusiastically. This shows what can happen when laymen and ministers work together wholeheartedly for the salvation of souls. Most of all we thank the Lord for His many blessings. The Holy Spirit was ever present to impress the mighty truths of God's Word on the hearts of the listeners. Everyone worked hard and in reflection we must say, "To God be the glory, great things He hath done."

E. FRANK SHERRILL, *President.*

## Little Rock Church Features Community Services

Community service has become a way of life in the Little Rock church. This help to the community was featured in a recent program planned by Mrs. C. A. Dennis, community service leader for the Little Rock church and president of the Central Arkansas Dorcas Federation. Pastor E. D. Clark was master of ceremonies for the occasion.

C. A. Dennis, church Civil Defense leader, pointed out the advantages and improvements in the mobile unit kept in readiness for any disaster by the Little Rock church.

Taking part in the many musical numbers and readings were the Wesson sisters, Mrs. K. D. Vance, Katrena Watson, Terry Head, a male quartet, Dr. Marlin Mathiesen, Mrs. M. Boatwright and a group of her students from the



Elder Fordyce Detamore delivers his message and hundreds of people raise their Bibles as they follow the speaker in the Bible-marking plan.



First group that was baptized in the Franklin Avenue church on Sabbath, March 20.

junior academy, Zora Hilliard, Ora Carter, Lucy Love, Bobbie Love, and Florence White.

Guest speakers for the occasion were Scottie Stanley, local businessman and alumnus of Little Rock's first Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking; and Elder M. H. Jensen, former director of SAWS Eastern Depot, who sent a taped report on "Welfare Work in the World Field."

The evening's festivities concluded with a white-elephant sale and potluck supper.

MARY MARGARET RICHEY, *PR Secretary,*  
*Little Rock Church.*

## Northwest Arkansas Health and Welfare Federation Meets

The Northwest Arkansas Health and Welfare Federation held its spring meeting on April 14 at Springdale. Forty-four members from eight churches were in attendance.

The principal speaker was Elder M. H. Jensen, who has had years of experience in welfare and disaster relief

work in New York City and Washington, D. C. Mrs. Jensen was present also, and ran her husband a close second as a speaker. They kept the audience thrilled—sometimes quite entertained—with suggestions on how to help people in need or struck by disaster.

Mrs. Jensen stressed the importance of each church carrying on a continuous educational program through classes such as medical self help, first aid, home nursing, nutrition, physical fitness, and mass feeding. She urged cooperation with the Red Cross and Civil Defense and arranging for their capable instructors to teach these classes.

Leading out in the Springdale meeting were Mrs. Carl Davis of Harrison, Arkansas, president of the Federation; and James B. Gray of Shreveport, Louisiana, director of Adventist welfare and disaster relief work in the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference. The autumn meeting of the Federation is to be held at the Gentry church.

J. O. WILSON, *PR Secretary,*  
*Northwest Federation*



Left to right: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dennis, Mrs. K. D. Vance, and Elder E. D. Clark. Mrs. Vance has engaged in church community service activities for the past 45 years in Little Rock.



Elder and Mrs. M. H. Jensen, recent director of SAWS Eastern Depot, were guest speakers at the four conference federation meetings. Twenty-four societies were represented with 132 members in attendance. The camera has recorded a few high lights of the tour.

(Above) Elder and Mrs. Jensen, both registered nurses, analyze the condition of reporting societies in the Central Federation. It was good to note that most all were in good health.



Elder Jensen cheers up Mrs. Doleful (alias Mrs. Jensen) with some good homemade whole wheat bread and cookies. This skit demonstrated the importance of visitation.

## TV Stations Cooperate with Little Rock Church

Little Rock's three TV stations have cooperated in using their time allotted for public service in a variety of ways which included making some spot announcements for the church. KTHV channel 11 uses our little public service tapes year round, although we just ask for them to be used during the In-gathering season.

In January all three stations were invited to send their news cameramen to



The Hot Springs Community Services van is in readiness to meet the needs of the area. They also have a fine health and welfare center.



(Left) Ed Holton, lay activities director for the Shreveport-South church, challenges listeners to be more active in helping our fellowmen.



(Right) The Southern and West Central Federations hear Elder George Schram stress the fact that Jesus lived and demonstrated His religion rather than just telling about it.



Shreveport Junior Academy "Gazelles" load down Mrs. Ruth Manchester, West Central Federation president, with baby clothing made for the disaster van.

the opening of our North Little Rock church. KARK-TV newsmen came early and stayed late. By the time the man from KATV arrived, the rain was pouring from every direction, but the charter members lined up again to have their pictures made. Little Rock church has a 30-minute program scheduled for KTHV on May 16. It is to be video taped the 13th.

MARY MARGARET RICHEY, PR Secretary  
Little Rock First Church.

## ARKANSAS-LOUISIANA NEWS NOTES

- ▶ Six evangelistic crusades were conducted in the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference during the month of March. Total evangelistic crusades this year now total 11.
- ▶ A total of 101 precious souls were baptized by the ministers of the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference during the month of March. I believe this is a record for baptisms in our conference for a one-month period.
- ▶ A beautiful nature and craft building is now under construction at Camp Yorktown Bay. This building is 100 feet long and 30 feet wide. Funds for the erection of this building were given by a non-Seventh-day Adventist businessman in Hot Springs. We praise the Lord for this generous gift.  
E. Frank Sherrill, President.



## Are Your Welfare Workers in Uniform?

When disaster strikes in a populated urban area, civil authorities must immediately take the necessary steps to prevent looting. Usually local police and armed forces personnel cooperate by encircling the devastated area and placing a close guard at all points of possible mobile access. Only authorized personnel are permitted to enter.

The Seventh-day Adventist Health and Welfare Service uniform has an almost magical effect upon the posted guards of the stricken areas. The church is well-known for its participation in disaster work and any who are dressed in our official uniform are quickly waved on for an immediate unquestioned entrance.

But are you the proud owner of a health and welfare service uniform, or have you neglected to obtain one?

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(Left) Mrs. Vera Wolfe, Oklahoma Conference Federation president, models the women's service uniform.



(Right) V. L. Zuchowski, lay activities secretary of the Oklahoma Conference, wears the men's service uniform.



H. M. S. Richards

Don't Miss the

# OKLAHOMA CAMP MEETING

JULY 16 - 24

at the **CAMPGROUNDS**, 2600 South Sooner Road, Oklahoma City

**Objective of a Camp Meeting:** "The object of a camp meeting is to lead all to separate from business cares and burdens, and devote a few days exclusively to seeking the Lord."



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- Bible study hour with W. D. Frazee
- The Voice of Prophecy, H. M. S. Richards and Del Delker
- School of lay evangelism directed by Barron-Turner Team
- Literature evangelist workshop
- Full-hour musical programs
- Book sales
- and much more!

**PLAN NOW TO ATTEND . . . GET YOUR RESERVATIONS IN EARLY!**





A picture of what the "well-dressed" welfare worker will wear is shown by Mrs. Dolores Martin, president of the Northwestern Federation; and Elder Adlai Esteb, retired General Conference lay activities secretary.

Since, in these last days disasters are becoming more and more numerous, supplying more and more opportunities for service to our fellowman, won't you determine to be in proper uniform soon?

You see, if you want to be where the action is, you must be in uniform!

VICTOR L. ZUCHOWSKI,  
*Lay Activities Secretary.*

## You Are Invited to Vacation Bible School Training Session

You won't want to miss the union-wide vacation Bible school training school which will be conducted in Keene, Texas, during the weekend of May 21-23.

The training school is being sponsored by Elder George Schram, Southwestern Union Conference lay activities and Sabbath school secretary, and the lay activities-Sabbath school secretaries of the five participating conferences. Mrs. Glenda Schram, a veteran of many such schools, will lead out in the instructional phase of the program. She will have a well-qualified staff to assist her.

The school will operate on the assumption that those attending have no knowledge of how to conduct a school. Instruction will begin with the simple and enter into the complex. At the close of the three-day training period, all who attend will have received sufficient information to conduct a successful soul-winning vacation Bible school.

The school is primarily intended as a training school for the many conference-sponsored student vacation Bible school teams which will function this summer. However, any VBS workers from the Oklahoma Conference churches who feel a need for instruction are encouraged to attend. Place your reservation with the Oklahoma Conference Sabbath school secretary.

V. L. ZUCHOWSKI,  
*Sabbath School Secretary.*



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## She's About Her Father's Business

Mrs. Costella Jefferson, Tulsa, Oklahoma, has found the secret of effectively combining soul winning with community services. Forty-eight women have been meeting with Mrs. Jefferson at the Manpower Training and Development Act Skills Center. The meetings which are held at 730 E. 36th Street North, enable each person to receive 10 hours of instruction in the Red Cross First Aid Course.

Irene Salter, Daisy Nance, Mrs. Sybil Bevlia, and Loula Stybuck, all members of the Skill Center Staff, helped arrange the First Aid course. Mrs. Jefferson was assisted in the first two weeks of instruction by Mrs. Lynn Andoe and Mrs. Faye Steinberg. The instructor, Mrs. Jefferson, is a member of the Bethel Seventh-day Adventist church, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Pastor M. J. Scott is the district minister.

The first class graduated 22 women; an additional 18 women completed the second phase. Each graduate is awarded a card which certifies that they have received standard instruction in First Aid Training.

Mrs. Jefferson will teach an advanced First Aid Course soon in the Seminole Hill Red Cross Office.

## Pine Bluff Laymen Are On the Move for Christ

Jets of light can be seen all over the city of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, as laymen move to and fro through the homes of this community with God's Word.

The members of the Ephesus church of Pine Bluff are saturating the city with the printed page of truth. Under the direction of the pastor, Elder W. M. Rice, Bible correspondence courses planted earlier are beginning to bear fruit. The gospel seeds were planted, and each week the members watered them with personal contact, study, and prayer. The first crop is now ready for harvest.

Soul winning is the primary goal of Pine Bluff; by God's grace, the saints have come rejoicing bringing in 20 precious sheaves for graduation. The diplomas given and the fellowship wit-



Part of the Pine Bluff graduates proudly show their diplomas.

nessed are but a foretaste of the coming convocation of the ages. Pine Bluff is on the move—forward with Christ!



Pastor W. M. Rice hands diploma to a graduate.

## Meet a Soldier of the Cross

In order to complete the plan of salvation in the earth, God has placed many implements of war at the disposal of His church; however, every tool is only as effective as the soldier that uses it.

The Houston Berean Seventh-day Adventist Church can truly thank God



Mrs. Vera Harris

for its tried and true soldier, Sister Vera Harris. Mrs. Harris who is 88 years young is very active for the Lord. A very special love and warmth for God, His work, and people continually radiate from the blazing hearth of the Vera Harris heart.

Pastor J. C. Wray leads his flock through many endeavors for God; the youth are present, the middle-aged are accounted for, and the seasoned saints stand their ground. Mrs. Harris is always active in soul winning, Ingathering, and living a consistent life for her God.

This example of a matriarch of Zion should inspire all members of the Southwest Region to reach new heights of excellence for God regardless of age. Let each of us pray that the "Year of our Laymen" may result in a transition from the Church Militant to the Church Victorious.

MRS. MYRTLE H. OSBORNE.

## Offering for Public Evangelism to be Taken May 22

"Go forward. The work to be done calls for self-sacrifice at every step, but go forward." *Evangelism*, p. 30.



G. C. Dart

These words were written by God's servant more than 60 years ago, but they are even more important for us to heed today as we near the end of time.

God greatly blessed our evangelistic endeavors in Texas last year. More than \$106,-

000 was spent in direct public soul-winning crusades, and the largest number of baptisms in the history of our conference was the result—728 won in 1970.

The evangelism offering received last year totaled \$60,000. This was greatly appreciated and many of you gave sacrificially to help in the winning of this large number of souls. Even though it may appear that the conference overspent for evangelism, who could say that we should have won only 500 or 600 souls? Every one of the 728 souls is precious and we are so thankful that they have joined with God's people in His church!

On May 22 our members in the Texas Conference will again give full cooperation in the raising of a \$60,000 cash offering for evangelism during 1971. Our own hearts will be blessed as we make God first and give that others may live eternally with Him.

As we look with Christian optimism to the day of our Lord's appearing, we well know that "The work which the church has failed to do in a time of peace and prosperity she will have to do in a terrible crisis under most discouraging, forbidding circumstances." *Testimonies*, vol. 5, p. 463.

Will you make the matter of giving for this important offering a subject of prayer? God will lead and bless in many ways as you make His work first.

G. CHARLES DART, *President,*  
*Texas Conference.*

## Keene Adventist School Is Accredited

The Keene Adventist Elementary School was granted accreditation by the Texas Educational Agency on April 16, 1971. The staff, school board, and community have been working toward this goal for the past two years. The school had previously met the denomi-



**texas**

## Texas Camp Meeting Special Features



J. J. Millet



Marie Mayer Douglass



G. A. Coon

**ELDER J. J. MILLET** — a dynamic speaker, will present the evening evangelistic messages each evening Sunday through Friday. Elder Millet was the full-time evangelist for the Central California Conference for the past five years, and now he is the new pastor of the Houston Central church.

**MARIE MAYER DOUGLASS** — of Loma Linda, California, will present "The Garden of Eden" in a Sabbath school workshop each afternoon Sunday through Friday from 1:30 to 3:30. This subject was thoroughly researched in the Bible and Spirit of Prophecy and then visualized in a semi-life-size three-dimensional setting. The sounds and lighting will serve to make the happening real, according to the inspired words on this event. To make the spiritual information the high light and most memorable, the children will participate in that garden in simplicity and understanding, with learning for the adult at the same time, at it was when Jesus spoke.

Time will also be given for making some of the projects. You will be sorry if you miss this camp meeting feature!

**G. A. COON** — Southern Union Conference evangelist, will conduct a BREAK-THRU VISITATION CLINIC each morning at 9:30. The theme will be PATH TO THE HEART. This is a must for every Texas layman.



Elder Paul Kilgore, Texas Conference superintendent of education; Wanda Grounds, Texas elementary supervisor; and Elder I. V. Stonbrook, General Conference Education Department, study policies governing state-accredited schools.



national accrediting requirements and being educationally minded, was desirous of providing the local community with the best possible education for its young people. Thus, it was decided that we should also make application to meet the accrediting requirements of the Texas Educational Agency.

The elementary school was operated under the direction of the college until approximately seven years ago. At that time the Keene and Cleburne Adventist churches elected a constituent board to build and operate a school for grades one to eight for the benefit of this immediate area. Property was purchased on East Pecan Street in Keene and thus began a new era of Christian education in Keene.

The present campus contains two buildings of masonry construction, almost identical in design. The older building has been in use for five years. The newer building has been occupied for approximately four months. The older building has eight classrooms, administrative offices, and a large carpeted area that serves as an auditorium and as an indoor physical education area for use during inclement weather. The newer building contains six classrooms, a music and band room, a science laboratory as well as a spacious library and a cafetorium all of which are carpeted.

(PICTURES AT RIGHT, top to bottom)  
(1 and 2) The multi-purpose auditorium doubles as a place for student convocations and for physical education classes during inclement weather.

(3) The new stainless-steel kitchen makes food preparation a joy for cafeteria director, Mrs. Ann Calvert.

(4) Dining room with portable folding tables makes cleaning much faster.

(5) Art classes are very popular when modeling and ceramics are being taught.

(6) The spacious library also serves for Texas teachers in-service training area.

(7) The many musical groups, including choirs and bands, play a very important part in our over-all school instructional program.

(8, 9, and 10) God's second book, nature, plays a very important part in the beautiful new science department.

(11 and 12) Typical classroom scenes. The eighth grade takes a Bible quiz while the fourth graders do math exercises.





The two buildings of the Keene Adventist School are nearly identical.

tenance of student interest, with special emphasis upon displays of student work, and provisions for nature appreciation through attractive and well-planned displays of living things — plants, birds, animals, and insects. . . . Custodial and maintenance services appeared to be of outstanding quality, as evidenced by the neat and well-kept appearance of both buildings. . . . Based upon the generally high-quality program observed. . . . It is recommended that the Keene Adventist school be granted accreditation."

The Keene area can be justly proud of providing the quality of education that merits membership in these two organizations. Your prayers and support for God's continued guidance is earnestly solicited.

A. D. GILLIAM, *Principal.*

## Denison-Sherman "These Times" Pulpit Campaign

The "These Times Pulpit" campaign was well received by the district this year. Each church chose a special leader for the pilot program which was conducted entirely by lay members. All three campaign leaders, Sr. Louise Flowers, Denison-Sherman church; Glenn Belz, Gainesville church; and Mrs. J. Mundell, Valley View church, accepted the challenge at the Fort Worth organizational meeting.

To date the district has 65% more subscriptions than last year. Both the Valley View and the Gainesville church-



Left to right: Mrs. J. Mundell, Mrs. Louise Flowers, and Glenn Belz.

es have more than doubled last year's subscriptions. It is most encouraging to see lay members taking leadership roles in finishing God's work in these last days.

J. N. HARCUMBE, *District Pastor.*



## A DIVINE CONCEPT Laymen Are Active in Denison-Sherman

February 27 was the Sabbath that the Denison-Sherman church launched its Break-Thru Visitation program. It was wonderful to witness the prompt-



## Valley Area Adventist Churches Sponsor Successful Temperance Booth in South Texas Livestock Show

(Above left) Tom Turner, art teacher at Valley Grande Academy, demonstrates "Block Head," the mechanical smoker. We named him block head because the kids said it didn't take any sense to learn to smoke. Mr. Turner did the art work for our back drop which showed a cemetery filled with those who had died smoking. Brother C. Jones, a winter visitor from Michigan who attends the Brownsville church, along with 29 local church members helped in caring for the booth.

(Above right) Elder Travis Dennis, pastor of the Pharr and Edinburg churches, demonstrates the newest smoking machine. This has been developed by the Spenco Corporation of Waco, Texas. This was the first time this device had ever been seen. It made a real hit with the folk.

(Left) Robert Hamilton, assistant manager of the Valley Grande Academy laundry, gives "Block Head" another shot of nicotine.





Break-thru Visitation teams following afternoon of visiting in Denison-Sherman area.

ings of the Holy Spirit as both young and old turned out at this initial meeting.

After prayer and instruction six teams of two's and three's went to visit the names in hand. Most of these were members who had not attended church for some time.

A few persons remained at the church to address Bible study cards to 100 names taken from the telephone directory.

The high light of the afternoon was when everyone came back to report. Enthusiasm ran high as we listened to each team's report—someone encouraged, a prayer offered, young people invited back to church. We could have listened all night!

Since February our visitation has been mainly with discouraged members. Now we are concentrating on names of those who have requested the free Bible and study guides.

From the 100 names sent out the first Sabbath we have already received 19 requests. We have also received eight names from the "It is Written" broadcasts even though it is only received on cable TV in this area. Three literature racks are being installed in town and we have already received a few names from one rack.

The most important thing is that our teams are growing. The more our members *hear of the action*—the more they want to be *in the action*.

J. N. HARCUMBE, District Pastor.

living up to their name "Youth In Action."

On Sabbath afternoon, February 13, fourteen interested youth met at the church and then proceeded to visit two nursing homes where they passed out 150 Bible course enrollment cards. Attached to these cards were pretty Valentines made by the young people the previous Tuesday evening.

Quite a few of our Spanish friends have been baptized into our church the past year. It was thrilling to see the faces of some of the Spanish patients light up when our Spanish youth spoke to them in their own tongue about Jesus and His love.

Mrs. J. D. CORRIGAN,  
Odessa Sabbath School Superintendent.



Mrs. Linda Callaway and Mrs. Sue Moore, in back left, with the "youth in action." Pastor Gary Rustad is in back right.



**texico**

1971 TEXICO CAMP MEETING  
EVENING SPEAKER —

**Ron Halvorsen**

Greater New York Conference evangelist, former gang leader on streets of New York City. Elder Ron Halvorsen is a tremendous speaker with a captivating story. Thrill to miracles happening right now among gangs and drug addicts. Learn how you can win souls. Hear him tell his life story at the Texico Camp Meeting. Additional exciting experiences. Don't miss being there. June 18 - 26.

**Texico Camp Meeting  
Application Blanks, page  
16, this issue**

## Odessa Youth Active in Church Program

In the Odessa church on Tuesday evenings while the regular prayer meeting is in progress there is another meeting taking place in the back of the church called "Youth In Action."

Under the able leadership of Linda Callaway and Sue Moore, this fine group of young people have lived up to their name. Besides the inspirational programs, they have participated in the Sabbath school by giving the mission reading and rendering special music and in the 11:00 o'clock hour by serving as junior deacons.

Our young people are interested in improving and beautifying our church grounds and in this way, too, they are

## 15-Year-Old Girl Is Santa Fe Lay Activities Leader

Patsy Gallegos, age 15, daughter of Brother and Sister Joe Gallegos of Santa Fe, is the church's youthful lay activities leader.



Patsy Gallegos

In Patsy's creative writing class at school she wrote a paper on "The Life of Sister Ellen G. White." The paper was so good that Patsy received an A+. The teacher was very interested to hear more about Ellen White. The teacher also asked Patsy if she could give one of Sister White's books to the school library. The church voted to donate the book *Education*. Patsy is giving another of E. G. White's books to the new police academy in Santa Fe.

It is wonderful to see our young people sharing their faith with others. IRIS FISHER, Lay Activities Secretary, Santa Fe Church.

## Indispensable Graces for Texico's Soul Winners

(Previously we delineated the indispensable graces for Texico's soul winners as Communion, Enthusiasm, Tact, Courtesy, and Love. Now we will high light each of these graces in the weeks to come. Watch this box!

### Communion

"Seek the Lord and his strength, seek his face continually." 1 Chronicles 16:11.

"Without a personal acquaintance with Christ, and a continual communion with are at the mercy of the enemy . . . " Desire of Ages, p. 324.

"Let nothing, however dear, however loved, absorb your mind and affections, diverting you from the study of God's word or from earnest prayer." Testimonies, vol. 8, p. 53.

TEXICO LAYMEN,  
THIS IS YOUR HOUR!



Delores Firestone and Patti Owen with their mothers and Elder Joe Espinosa, Texico lay activities secretary, who baptized them after his series of meetings in Portales. It's interesting to note that Patti's mother was baptized by Elder Wilber A. Burton, Texico MV-educational secretary, who conducted meetings in Portales a year ago.

continue this innovation in the future. The weekend was capped by a reception in the cafeteria where several awards were given to seniors of the class of 1971. From the reception alumni members went to the chapel and listened to the Choraliers present their spring concert.

## Callicott Foundation Makes Valuable Gift to College

Recently the Callicott Foundation of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, made a gift of \$10,000 to the college for the purpose of providing the carpeting for the new dining room in the building which is now under construction. This fine gift was made as a result of the generous spirit of Rex Callicott, a longtime member of the Board of Trustees of Southwestern Union College, and the founder of the foundation.

Over the years Mr. Callicott has made a number of gifts to Southwestern Union College and other institutions within the Southwestern Union. This gift will be of great assistance in making the dining room a very pleasant place for college students to gather three times daily.

E. C. WINES, *President.*



*Southwestern  
union college*

## 1971 Alumni Weekend Is Huge Success

One of the greatest Alumni Weekends in the history of Southwestern Union College took place on April 16 and 17. Dr. Frank House, president of the association, was in charge. The members of his executive committee cooperated with him in arranging the various programs. The Friday night speaker was Elder Kenneth Cox of the Oklahoma Conference and the Sab-

bath morning church service speaker was Elder N. R. Dower of the General Conference Ministerial Department.

An innovated high light of Alumni Weekend this year was the potluck lunch held in the Pultar Pavilion. Several hundred were present, as the accompanying picture indicates, and by show of hands, the alumni voted to



SUC alumni and friends enjoy Sabbath fellowship dinner in the Pultar Pavilion.

## Meet Two New Presidents

Elder Leroy Leiske, who was recently elected by the College Board to be president elect, was introduced to students and faculty during a recent chapel period. Elder Cyril Miller, of the Southwestern Union, spoke words of praise for the leadership of President E. C. Wines during his seven years in office. Elder Miller stated that much had been accomplished during the term of President Wines for which they would always be grateful. Several buildings are either built or in progress, the College was promoted to senior status, and full accreditation was

### SUC Campus Women's Club Benefit Movie

Saturday night, May 15, 8:45 p.m., Evans Hall in Keene

The club will be showing the Cinemascope production, "AROUND THE WORLD IN 80 DAYS." All seats will be sold in advance and are reserved. Tickets may be ordered by calling Mrs. Myers at 817-645-5870 or Mrs. Rice at 817-645-9430. Order early, they will go fast.



Student Association president-elect, Bill Fitts, left; and SUC president-elect, Elder Leroy Leiske.

received from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

In introducing Elder Leroy Leiske as president elect, Elder Miller traced the background of many years of service given to the church by the new president. He has been connected with the denomination in various administrative capacities as well as being closely connected with our educational institutions and was board chairman of one of our larger growing colleges. Elder Leiske spoke for a few moments stating his desire to continue to progress that has been made under the past president.

#### BACK COVER

(Top) Elder George Reid, chairman of the Division of Religion, teaches a religion class.

(Center) Steve Poenitz, sophomore theology major from Arlington, Texas; and Linda Morgan, sophomore home economics major from Richardson, Texas, study in Findley Library.

(Bottom) Harry Fischer, sophomore history major from Keene, Texas, spoke in the youth effort in Burseson, Texas.

writing the receipt the man was ready to study some more. Brother Simons left the home at 1:30 a.m. with arrangements to return weekly for regular Bible studies.

Thank God for the literature ministry which permits persons to make a living and be fully engaged in soul winning at the same time.

R. E. APPENZELLER  
Publishing Secretary,  
Texas Conference.

## It's Never Too Late in Texico

Many Seventh-day Adventists, after hearing of the publishing work or an inspiring sermon in their church, feel the need of doing something for God. Some feel they are not qualified or they are too old to start now. "Oh! if I had of heard of this 40 years ago I would have liked to have taken up the literature evangelist work."

Brother Ben Richard who lives in Hobbs, New Mexico, a mission field of his own, started work at the age of 70, and last year he delivered over \$12,000.00 worth of *Bible Readings*, *Great Controversy* and *Bible Story* to non-Seventh-day Adventists. He takes pleasure in working his territory very thoroughly, door to door. He sold books to the chief of police, bankers, insurance agencies, and many prominent people in and around Hobbs and Lovington, including the priest and parochial schools.

Don't let that curly hair fool you. He jogs every morning and night with his little dog, Tinker. I am afraid I will have to admit, Brother Ben is in better physical shape than I am. Mrs. Richards is a very consecrated Christian, a supporter of the publishing work, very health conscious, and one



## LITERATURE EVANGELISM

### IN THE SOUTHWESTERN UNION CONFERENCE

## Midnight Bible Study by Beaumont Literature Evangelist Sells Books

Tom Simons is a literature evangelist in Beaumont, Texas. During the first three months of 1971, he has sold

\$7,480.05 worth of books and magazines. He presents a unit to the people he contacts consisting of *Bible Stories*, large doctrinal books, medical books, and magazines. You can readily see that when this package of Seventh-day Adventist literature is



Tom Simons

left in the home it reaches all three major areas of man's life—physical, mental, and spiritual. Because of this he is giving Bible studies to several of his customers and saw two of them baptized last December. Recently he made his last call of the day at about 9:30 p.m. He found the husband friendly but definitely not interested in the books. The wife was impressed

and manifested real interest while her spouse sat across the room with a bored look and tried to ignore him. After the first few minutes he was listening intently and half way through the presentation he came over and sat beside his wife. At the close he was in favor of getting them but his wife was not. Their positions had completely reversed. Brother Simons asked them to buy several times without success.

After prayer he was at the door ready to leave when the man asked what church he attended. Without hesitation Brother Simons replied, "Seventh-day Adventist." The man said, "Please don't go, there are several questions I want to ask you." They became involved in a full-fledged Bible study on the Sabbath and state of the dead, among other things. He seemed to really be sincere not at all argumentative.

Around 11:30 p.m. the wife, who had been listening, interrupted the study. "I think we ought to have those books." Brother Simons wrote the order for \$168.00 cash. When he finished



Ben Richard

**ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR** — Battle Creek Sanitarium has opening for person with experience in hospital administration, preferably MHA graduate. We are member hospital of ASI and Adventist Hospital Association.

Send resume and request to Richard Lane, Administrator, Battle Creek Sanitarium, 197 N. Washington, Battle Creek, Michigan 49016.

## Arkansas-Louisiana Camp Meeting

Ozark Academy — Gentry, Arkansas — June 16 - 19, 1971

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It is requested that no pets be brought to the encampment due to the concentration of people and the problems related with animals, etc.

SEND APPLICATION TO: **PRINCIPAL, Ozark Academy, Gentry, Arkansas 72734**

Plan now to attend camp meeting at Ozark Academy. Guest speakers from the General Conference and the Southwestern Union will be with us. Special camp meeting prices will be available at the book stand. Spend your vacation at camp meeting in the beautiful Ozarks! First meeting will begin at 7:30 Wednesday night, June 16.

## Texico Camp Meeting

JUNE 18 - 26, 1971 SANDIA VIEW ACADEMY ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

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..... Barracks per place per night (cot included) ..... 1.25

..... Number of persons in our party. ....

Total Cost.....

Less Deposit.....

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6. No bedding supplied.
7. Pets not permitted. PLEASE DO NOT BRING THEM.
8. Tents not rented to teenagers without chaperon.
9. Cafeteria meals available except on Sabbath.
10. Date you will arrive ..... Date you will leave .....

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of the best cooks in New Mexico in my opinion. It is a real pleasure to visit with the Richards.

Recently, Brother Ben Richard and Brother Bill Stewart and myself worked together in putting on a program



Bill Stewart

in the largest Methodist church in Hobbs, membership of over 1,900 members. Brother Richards had arranged for the *Bible Story* narrated by Paul Harvey to be shown in the church. The pastor could not have been nicer; he was most friendly and

cooperative. He asked us to call on many of his members, wants a set of books for the church, and was delighted with his mylar *Desire of Ages* that was given to him in appreciation. We had a wonderful display in the vestibule of the church and many encouraging comments were over heard. To show the film in other churches in a field scarcely touched as yet.

Surely the harvest is ripe but the laborers are few. Contact your local Publishing Department secretary for further information concerning the publishing work.

CARL TANKSLEY,  
Publishing Secretary,  
Texico Conference.

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## CAMP DOSS

National MCC Training  
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Grand Ledge, Michigan

JUNE 1-13, 1971

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emy, and 10 miles to Eden Valley Health and Rehabilitation Center. See "Reader's Digest" Feb. 1971, p. 158 Colorado — "The State Nearest to Heaven." Time is running out. Paul Newell, Route 3, Box 477, Loveland, Colo. 80537, phone 303-667-6452. p9-2

**WANTED** — LPN or RN to supervise 22-bed nursing home. Located 2 blocks from academy and church school. Write Coffman Nursing Home, Box 246, Enterprise, Kan. 67441. p9-1

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July 31, Aug. 7 and 14	July 15



**SUNSET SCHEDULE**

	May 7	May 14	May 21	May 28
Abilene, Texas	8:37	8:43	8:48	8:53
Amarillo, Texas	8:37	8:43	8:48	8:53
Brownsville, Texas	8:05	8:09	8:12	8:17
Dallas, Texas	8:13	8:19	8:23	8:28
El Paso, Texas	7:51	7:56	8:00	8:05
Fort Worth, Texas	8:15	8:21	8:25	8:30
Galveston, Texas	7:59	8:04	8:08	8:13
Gentry, Arkansas	8:09	8:15	8:21	8:26
Keene, Texas	8:15	8:21	8:25	8:30
Little Rock, Arkansas	8:58	8:04	8:09	8:14
Muskogee, Oklahoma	8:21	8:27	8:32	8:37
New Orleans, Louisiana	7:41	7:46	7:50	7:54
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma	8:21	8:27	8:32	8:37
San Antonio, Texas	8:14	8:19	8:23	8:27
Santa Fe, New Mexico	7:56	8:02	8:08	8:13
Shreveport, Louisiana	8:01	8:06	8:10	8:15
Tulsa, Oklahoma	8:16	8:22	8:27	8:32

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## Hats Off!

TO THE STUDENTS AND FACULTY of SUC at Keene who raised over \$11,000 for a new swimming pool. An additional \$7,500 was raised from the Southwestern Union, the conferences, and other sources. They received the professional guidance and help of Mr. Barber of Mineral Wells, who saved them thousands of dollars. The College Board approved a plan to build the pool in the Turner Auditorium. So now our college has a beautiful junior olympic size indoor heated pool! Never underestimate our great kids.

TO THE CONFERENCE PRESIDENTS, WORKERS, AND LAYMEN of the Southwestern Union who, with one of the lowest tithes per capita in the North American Division, *managed* to produce the highest baptisms per member during 1970. *Good business management* for the Lord was required to produce that record and make the Southwestern Union the fastest-growing union in the North American Division in 1970!

TO BROTHER JOHN McGEE of Jay, Oklahoma, who on his 100th birthday joined the Committee of 100!! He is doing more than talking about support for the college and our great young people! I visited Pauline and John McGee in Jay when approximately 100 friends and relatives came from far and near to honor Brother John as he passed his first 100 years. He's greatly loved and has a fabulous sense of humor. He stated to me on his 100th, "Elder Leach, I don't have an enemy in the whole world." I started to comment, but before I got out my first word, he added, "They're all dead!" (That's one way to get rid of your enemies — outlive them!)

Isn't it great that a man of 100 joined the Committee of 100 on his 100th birthday! John McGee believes this truth. He believes in young people. He believes in Southwestern Union College. He also plans to live forever with Christ in His kingdom

of glory — in fact, that is all he really lives for here on earth. Hats off to you — Brother John!

Yours for honoring the living,

B. E. LEACH.



Elders B. E. Leach and C. W. Skantz pose with John and Pauline McGee on Mr. McGee's 100th birthday.



*Mrs. Nixon joins me in sending our best wishes and congratulations on your birthday. We hope you have a most happy and memorable day and that the coming years will always bring you joy and contentment.*

President Richard Nixon sent this birthday congratulations card to Mr. McGee.

**INSPIRED . . .**

"If we keep the the Lord ever before us, allowing our hearts to go out in thanksgiving and praise to Him, we shall have a continual freshness in our religious life." *Christ's Object Lessons*, p. 129.

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